The VT DEC requires the submission of a completed SF-1444 (all highlighted fields) with the referenced DOL General Wage Determination attached. If more than one wage rate is needed (e.g., Building and Heavy), both must be attached. The SF-1444 must be completed by the Contractor, reviewed by the Consulting Engineer, and the Consulting Engineer must email the submittal to the assigned WID Construction Engineer. This policy allows for the most expeditious processing of the request.

Request For Authorization Of Additional Classification And Rate	Check Appropriate Box ☐ Service Contract ☐ Construction Contract	**OMB Control Number: 9000-0066** **Expiration Date: 5/31/2027**

Instructions: The Contractor shall complete items 3 through 16, keep a pending copy, and submit the request, in quadruplicate, to the Contracting Officer.

1. **To:** Administrator, Wage And Hour Division U.S. Department Of Labor Washington, DC 20210	2. **From:** (Reporting Office) VT Agency of Natural Resources/Water Investment Div Attn: Don Haddox, via email don.haddox@vermont.gov

3. Contractor	4. Date Of Request

5. Contract Number RF#-### (SRF loan)	6. Date Bid Opened (Sealed Bidding)	7. Date Of Award	8. Date Contract Work Started	9. Date Option Exercised (If Applicable) (Service Contract Only)

10. Subcontractor (If Any)

11. Project And Description Of Work (Attach Additional Sheet If Needed)

12. Location (City, County, And State)

13. In Order To Complete The Work Provided For Under The Above Contract, It Is Necessary To Establish The Following Rate(s) For The Indicated Classification(s) Not Included In The Department Of Labor Determination

Number: Dated:

a. List In Order: Proposed Classification Title(s); Job Description(s); Duties; And Rationale For Proposed Classifications (Service contracts only)	b. Wage Rate(s)	c. Fringe Benefits Payments
(Use reverse or attach additional sheets, if necessary)		

14. Signature And Title Of Subcontractor Representative (If Any)	15. Signature And Title Of Prime Contractor Representative

16. Signature Of Employee Or Representative	Title	Check Appropriate Box - Referencing Block 13. ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

To Be Completed By Contracting Officer (Check As Appropriate - See FAR 22.1019 (Service Contract Labor Standards) Or FAR 22.406-3 (Construction Wage Rate Requirements))

☐ The Interested Parties Agree And The Contracting Officer Recommends Approval By The Wage And Hour Division. Available Information And Recommendations Are Attached.

☐ The Interested Parties Cannot Agree On The Proposed Classification And Wage Rate. A Determination Of The Question By The Wage And Hour Division Is Therefore Requested. Available Information And Recommendations Are Attached.

(Send 3 copies to the Department of Labor)

Signature Of Contracting Officer Or Representative	Title And Commercial Telephone Number	Date Submitted

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